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Section Police
File No 1 of 1876
Serial No 1-2~~3~~45-15.

Entertainment of Temporary Police Force in the state during the Famine 1876-1877

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From The Inspector General of Police

To:

Secretary to Chief Commissioner, General Department.

Dated } 15 March/77
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Section Police
No 1-76
Serial No 1

ENCLOSURES NO. /

General No. 2435 } 187 —7 .
No. 349

Submits for the sanction of the Chief Commissioner to a temporary increase to the Kolar District Police of 6 Ruffedars and 36 Peons at a monthly Cost of Rupees 270.

Sub^d for orders
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May be sanctioned but as a hope may be expressed that as soon as the [illegible] to be found [illegible] to be [illegible] by the [illegible] Whether temporary or permanent as our finances are in a very different footing to those of the [illegible] when the [illegible] were [illegible]

Mark Wood 19/3/77

17.3.77

Office of the Inspector General of Police.

Bangalore March 1877.

From

The Inspector General of Police.

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To,

The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore.

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will obtain the Chief Commissioner's sanction to a temporary increase to the Kolar District Police, of 6 Duffadars and 36 Peons at a monthly cost of Rupees 270 vide statement attached.

2. I propose that this increased force, the cost of which can be met from savings in Establishment, should be entertained only up to the end of June.

3. Owing to the scarcity, crime increased considerably during the past year, and the Police have been called upon to perform much heavier work. The comparative table in the margin gives the number of cases of Dacoity alone during the months of January

Dacoity	For Jany & Feby		
	1875	1876	1877
Bangalore	1	1	13
Kolar	.	1	10
Tumkur	.	1	8
Mysore	.	.	6
Hassan	1	2	7
Shimoga	1	2	6
Chitaldroog	3	1	11
Kadur	1	3	1

January and February for the past 3 years. The figures speak for themselves and require no comment. To check this increase I have thought it necessary to direct that in Districts where the Magistrates consider it desirable the beat system should for the present be discontinued and a preventive system of night Patrols be substituted.

4. I have hitherto refrained from recommending any increase to the force and have rather discouraged applications to that end, but the present condition of the Province renders it necessary that some slight assistance should here and there be given.

5. The scarcity and consequent incentive to crime must I fear continue for some 2 or 3 months at the least, and the strain on the existing Police Force is too great. For the Madras Presidency material increase to the Force has been sanctioned for some months past.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most Obedt. Servant

P. F. [illegible]

for Inspector General of Police.

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Memo of additional force with cost per mensem.

To 6 Lance Duffadars at 9 Rupees each	54 . . . .
To 36 Peons at 6 Rupees each	216 . . . .
	270 . . . .

Cost of Clothing for the above.

Cloth for 42 Coats (56 yards) at Rupees 2 per yard	112 . . . .
To 6 Chevrons for Duffadars	. . 7 . 6
To Tailors Coolies for making 42 Coats at 7 As per Coat	18 . 6 . .
	130 . 13 . 6

Total Cost for Clothing	130 . 13 . 6.
Pay of additional force for 3 months at Rupees 270 per mensem	810 . . . . .
Total Cost.	Rupees 940 . 13 . 6.

J. T. [illegible]
for Inspector General of Police.

5 N: 12952
F 719

Dated 20th March 1877.

Police
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Serial No 2

Proceedings of the Chief Comr of Mysore.
Bangalore 20th March 1877.

Letter No 2435/349 of 15th March 1877 from the Inspector Genl of Police.

Order.

Under the circumstances represented in the foregoing letter the Chief Comr sanctions the entertainment, as a temporary measure, for three months from the 1st April 1877, of an increase of 6 Duffadars and 36 peons to the Kolar District Police at an aggregate cost of Rs. 940-13-6, as shown in the margin.*

2. The Chief Comr hopes that it will not be found necessary to make any further increases to the Police Force, whether temporary or otherwise, during the present state of the promises.

	Rs.
6 Lance Duffadars @ 9	54
36 Peons @ 6	216
Per mensem	270
For 3 months @ 270	= 810
Cost for clothing	130-13-6
Total	Rs. 940-13-6

* This cost from Class for Collection to

To the Inspector Genl of Police
Sir D Ricketts C.

15/8/77
W.L.

P.B.
20/3/77

By order
C. Gopalan

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No 12952
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To
The Insp: Genl of Police
" Dy: Acct General

Circl:
Dated 20th March
Desp: " "
Genl No: 12952
Fin No: 719

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Sanction 13 July,
Genl No. 14042
Fin No. 203.

Sanctioning orders, on the subject of entertaining as a temporary measure, 6 [illegible], & 36 peons in the Kolar District Police at a cost of Rs. 9408 per 13 m. 6.

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From The Inspector General of Police

To

Secretary to Chief Commissioner, General Department.

Section Police
File No. 1-26
Serial No. 53

Dated 13 July 1877
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ENCLOSURES NO.

General No. 435 / No. 60 } 187 —7

Requests sanction to the continuance of the extra force sanctioned in chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 12952 / 7.719 of 20 March 1877 for a further period of three months to the Kolar District.

In March last the Mr. Govt. said the cost was to have been met from savings in Establishment. Perhaps it is to be assumed that the present outlay is to be met from the same source. The charge without clothing will amount to Rs. 810 for July, Aug. & Sept., but not to the end of Oct. as Mr. Brisk-manager states. The former sanction was from 1st April.

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No. 1435/60

Office of the Inspector Genl of Police
Bangalore 13th July 1877

From.

The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore

To.

The Secretary to the
Chief Commissioner of Mysore
Bangalore

Sir,

In forwarding in original, a docket No. 163 dated 10th Instant, from the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, asking that the Extra force, sanctioned in Chief Commission Proceedings No. 12952/719 dated 20th March may be continued, I have the honor to state, that under the circumstances reported, I am compelled to request that sanction may be accorded to the entertainment of the force for a further period of three months.—

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servant
[illegible]
for Inspector General of Police
in Mysore

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Sup. No. 151.

From) The Deputy Commr. Kolar Dt.

To) The Inspector Genl of Police

Dated) /

Despatched) } 10th July

Received) ||

Enclosures No.

General No. 163

No } 1877

The Dy. Inspector Genl memo. No. 2169/416 dated 22nd March 1877 forwarding Copy of the Chief Commrs. order. No. 12952/F. 719 dated 20th Decr. sanctioning the entertainment as a temporary measure for 3 months from 1st April 1877 of an increase of 6 Duffedars & 36 peons to the Kolar District Police.

Adverting to the above

above, has the honor to solicit sanction for the continuance up to the end of October 1877 of the temporary establishment therein referred to as the dis up still prevails to the same extent if not greater and the escort duties are very pressing in consequence of the increase of crimes.

2 The undersigned has, in anticipation of sanction, issued orders not to dispense with the services of the men temporarily entertained.

D. Krishnamurti
Deputy Commissioner
Kolar District

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General No. 4042
F. 203

Dated 20th July 1877.

Proc: of the C. Comr. of Impore.

Letter No. 435/60 dated 13 July 1877 and enclosure, from the Insp. General of Police.

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Order No. 9/20th July 1877

Under the circumstances represented in the letter from the Dy. Comr. of Kolar which accompanied the above, the Chief Comr. sanctions the retention for a further period of 3 months from 1st July 1877 of the temporary Police Establishment noted in the margin whose entertainment was authorised in this office proceedings No. 12952/719 dated 20th March 1877. The cost viz Rs 810 to be met from savings in the Police Establishment.

	Rs
6 Lance Duffadars @ Rs 9 ..	54
36 Peons @ Rs 6 . . .	216
Per mensem	Rs 270
For 3 months .	810

G. G.

Secy.

The Inspector General of Police
" Deputy Acct. General.

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From

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To The Inspector General of Police

Dated Bangalore 20th 1877

Despatched " "

Received

Enclosures No. "

General No. 4042

No. 203

Sanctions the retention for a further period of 3 months of the temporary Police Establishment in the Kolar District

From the date 13th October 1877

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From The Dy Inspector General of Police

Secretary to Chief Commissioner, General Department.

Dated 17 August 1877.

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ENCLOSURES NO 7

General No. 3622 / No. 1180 } 187 —7

Police 1-76 7

Solicits Chief Commissioner's sanction for the entertainment of an additional Peon in each District owing to the prevalence of Famine.

Submitted

Order drafted MC 25/8/77

No 622
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Office of the Inspector General of Police
Bangalore 17th August 1877.

14 From The Inspector General of Police in Mysore.

To The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore.

Sir,

I forward for the information of the Chief Commissioner a Statement shewing the number of heinous offences committed & reported during the first months of the current year. From this, it will be seen how serious and rife Crime is in the Province, I have refrained hitherto (as the Chief Commissioner is aware) from applying for increase to the Police force generally, as I was unwilling to add to the already heavy burthens imposed on the finances of the State. I had hoped too that with seasonable weather and improved agricultural prospects, a great diminution in Crime might ere this be looked for. As timely rain has failed us, and prospects are still gloomy, I feel that I shall not be justified in longer withholding an application for assistance. I would ask

the Chief Commissioner's sanction to my incurring an expenditure not exceeding in the aggregate Rs. 500 per mensem per District, to commence at once where needed and to continue for such time as may be necessary. The precise number sanctioned in each District would be separately reported. The requirements of the Districts vary, so that what may not be wanted in one District should be available for the extra need of another, but the aggregate of Rs 4000 per mensem for the Province will not be exceeded.

2. I shall be in a position to meet this expenditure from savings in the Police Budget, partly by the postponement of works and also by curtailing other expenditure, which though desirable must give way to this more pressing requirement.

3. The increase to the extent now asked for is absolutely necessary; indeed, if the conditions of the Province do not improve, I fear that what I have asked for, may prove insufficient.

4. Wide spread want & suffering have made the people lawless & desperate, so that our existing Police Force is not

fitted successfully to cope with the evil. The Surveyor's additional Police force now asked for will not in itself avail much.

5. Employment for the people is what is required and I would ask that the Commissioners and the District Officers may be urged to afford work in such portions of their jurisdictions as may not now be sufficiently provided for.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most Obedient Servt

N. J. Mackenzie
for Inspector General of Police

Note
This seems unnecessary. The Captains in Gaol alive to the necessity of keeping work going in their districts as continually they report to Headquarters

17 / 2 letters —

The Proposals herein made may be sanctioned leaving it to Mr. Jordan to determine within the limits laid down where the augmentation required may be most advantageously made with a view to the suppression of crime and lawlessness.

He may be informed that the Chief Com.r has never failed to impress upon the Com.rs & Stipendiary Magistrates on demi officially upon the Debt & limits the emergent necessity of providing relief work of a suitable character for the employment of the distressed classes throughout the country generally & he will again draw their attention to the urgency of providing labor.

23. 8. 77 Chas Saunders

Statement shewing the number of heinous offences (as reported from the Districts) reported during the months of January to July 1877.

Heinous offences include only serious offences such as Murder, Robbery, Dacoity &c.

18	Bangalore	Tumkur	Kolar	Mysore	Hassan	Shimoga	Chikkaboy	Kadur	Asst. Supdt. Rep. from Shimoga	Total	Remarks.
January	16	8	12	5	8	1	10	5	3	68	The total for the whole of last year was only 492.
February	4	6	13	6	11	10	12	6	4	72	
March	4	4	9	8	11	8	22	5	2	73	
April	10	1	11	5	17	9	15	4	2	74	
May	8	6	12	9	18	14	18	12	1	98	
June	10	10	33	6	13	16	23	10	..	121	
July	28	19	45	12	16	26	30	22	3	201	
Total	80	54	135	51	94	84	130	64	15	707	

Office of the Inspector General of Police

Bangalore 17th August 1877

J. F. Ramsay
for Inspector General of Police

1877 No 27

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To. Inspr General of Police Delhi.

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Sanctioning an augmentation to the Police Force at an addl Expend^re of Rs 1350 for 6 months from this date

General No: 5378 / 9 . 743

From the Home Dt. 13 Oct. 77 No 124

From the Home 27 Oct. 77 No 1864/228

From the Home 16 Nov. 77 No 1864/228

Noted
16/11/77

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General No. 5378
G. " 743
Dated 27th August 1877

Proceedings of the Chief Commr. of Mysore & Coorg Bangalore
August 1877.

Letter from the Inspector General of Police in Mysore
No. 622/80 dt. 17th August 1877.

Order.

The great increase in serious crime during, from the effects of the high prices of grain, under an augmented Police force of the second District necessary, and the Chief Commr. sanctions the proposal made by the Inspector General of Police to incur an add. expenditure on the account of the amt. of Rs 4000 per mensem for the provision for a period of 6 months from the date. The detailing of the increased Police to each District.

Under the circumstances reported by the Insp. Genl. Commr. in the above letter, the Chief Commr. authorizes the establishment of an additional Police Force for the several Districts of the Provinces, at a cost of Rupees 4000 per mensem, to continue for such time as may be really necessary, but it is left to Mr. Gordon to determine, within the limits laid down, where the augmentation required may be most advantageously made, with a view to the suppression of crime and lawlessness.

2. With reference to Para. 5 of the Insp. Genl. Commr's letter, the Ch. Commr. observes that he has made it his constant duty to impress

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The Commissioners and through them, as the Chief Commr. of Districts, the emergent necessity of providing relief works of a suitable character for the employment of the distressed classes throughout the country generally. Fresh instructions however should again issue in this matter and the attention of Commissioners drawn to the urgency of providing sufficient labour.

3. The expenditure thus sanctioned should be met from savings in the Police Budget in the manner suggested in para 2 of the Govt Commr's letter.

Secretary
Depty Secy to Govt of Punjab
Govt Commr
Chief Secretary

to the
" the Dy Accnt General

MCM 25/8/77 Noted [illegible] 16/11/77

Share the expenditure in proportion. The cost will not form it is observed, a heavy item in the Police Budget by reappropriation of funds.

2. The necessity of diminishing the completed crime by providing employment for all who are able to earn the means of livelihood has been frequently pressed upon the local officers, who are fully alive to the importance of such provision. Their attention will be again drawn to the subject but it is obvious that [illegible] the strong expression here will deter from crime those who have found it profitable by [illegible]

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From The Inspector General of Police in Mysore

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Secretary to Chief Commissioner,
General Department.

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Dated
Despatched } 13 October/77
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Nov 15

ENCLOSURES NO

General No. 954 } 187 —7
No. 124

Solicits sanction to the retention up to the end of the official year of the additional force sanctioned by the Ch: Commr's order no. 4042/F 203 of 20 July/77 for the Kolar District.

Regret cannot sanction the proposal to make reduction in the force intermediately if practicable by 1/10 sanctioned

22-10-77

Noted
Nov 23/1977

No. 954/124

Office of the Inspector General of Police
Bangalore 15th October 1877.

From

The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore

To

The Secretary to the
Chief Commissioner of Mysore

Sir,

In continuation of the correspondence ending with Chief Commissioner's order No. 4042/F 203 of the 20 July 1877, sanctioning the entertainment for a further period of 3 months from the 1st July 1877 of an additional force of 6 Duffedars and 36 peons at the monthly rate of Rupees 270, for the Kolar District, I have the honor to state, that the state of the District necessitates my applying for the Chief Commissioner's sanction to keep on this force till the end of the official year.—

2. The Deputy Commissioner will be on for periodical reports, as to the state of crime and steps will be at once taken to reduce force at the earliest opportunity. —

3. The sum of Rupees 600 per month has been allotted to the Kolar District for the Cantonment police, out of the sum of Rupees 4,000 per month sanctioned by the Chief Commissioner in his No. 5378/743 of the 27 August 77, but the state of crime in that District necessitates my applying for the retention of the special force alluded to.

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant

[signature]
for Inspector General of Police Mysore

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~~Mysore C. Commr's Office~~
Bangalore October 1877

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General No. 6913
G. " 1036

Dated 24th October 1877

Letter from the Inspector General of Police, Mysore requesting sanction to the retention of the Special Police force for the Kolar District, till the end of the Official year.

Order — The Ch. Commr. sanctions the continuance of the additional Police Temp. entertained in force for the Kolar District up to the end of the current Official year in the understanding that ~~a cash reduction will be made in the of Rupees 270 a month.~~ present cost is Rs 270 p.m., as far ~~a reduction to be made~~ as circumstances may permit. ~~Immediate intimation of proceedings.~~

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~~Insp. Genl of Police~~ Secretary
~~Copy to Dist Commr~~
Do. to Ad. A. Genl

Ad. 25/10/77

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From

To The Inspector General of Police.

Dated 24th October

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Enclosures No.

General No. 8913

Sanctioning the Entertainment of the additional Police Force in the Kotar District for the current Financial Year —

For the Commissioner

To the Commissioner

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From The Inspector General of Police.

To

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ENCLOSURES NO

General No. 1347 } 187 —7
No. 160

Section Police
File No 1-26 II

Reports that the Rolar District Force sanctioned in Chief Commissioner's Proceedings no. 913/1936 of the 24 October/77 may be dispensed with from the 1st January 1878

To Ch. Cent.

29.12.77

Approved by the Commissioner

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No. 1347/160 Office of the Insp.r General of Police
Bangalore 22nd December 1877

From,

The Offg: Inspector General of Police

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To,

The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore

Sir,

With reference to the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 6913/1036 of the 24th October 1877, sanctioning the continuance of the Additional Force, temporarily entertained in the Kolar District up to the end of the current official year, I have the honor to inform you, that the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar reports that as crime is on the decrease, the services of the additional Force may be dispensed with from the 1st January 1878.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most obedient servant

Offg: Inspector Gen of Police

No. 61 From

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To The Inspector General of Police

Dated Bangalore 5th January 18

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in the Kolar District, whos
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up to the end of the Curren
Official year was sanctioned
in this Office vide No. 6913/1036
& 24th October 1877, may be
dispensed with from the 1
January 1878 -

In reply conveys the Chief
Commr's approval of the
proceedings -

By order,
4.1.78

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No. 8539
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Copy to the Director General

Sanction applied for 53
Sec. approved
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MM 12/3/78

1878. O. 5528 / 130

From The Inspector General of Police

To

Secretary to Chief Commissioner, General Department.

Dated 28 February 1878

Despatched 4 March

Received 5 March

Reg. 8 March

ENCLOSURES None

General No. 1700 / No. 205 } 1877—78.

Solicits sanction to the retention of 1 Duffadar, and 25 peons for a period of 3 months for the Sunderbunds Districts of the extra Force sanctioned in Chief Commrs Proceedings No. 5378/743 of 27 August 1877.

The Relief Forces have been reduced 1 Oc, & there is now no impending population in Sunderbunds. I don't know why the extra Force is necessary unless there is an increase of crime which is not stated, & which is not the case I believe. Sanction may however be given for 2 months by

No. 1700
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Office of the Inspector General of Police
Bangalore 28 February 1878

From

The Inspector General of Police
in Mysore

To,

The Secretary to the
Chief Commissioner of Mysore

Sir,

With reference to the Chief Commissioner's proceedings No. 5378/743 dated 27 August last, I have the honor, at the solicitation of the Deputy Commissioner Tumkur, to recommend for sanction of the Chief Commissioner, the retention of the services of 1 Duffadar and 25 peons, for a further period of 3 months, to assist the regular Police in carrying out the extra duties incident to the Famine.

2. This appears necessary, as the famine cannot be said to have ceased

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

[signature]
for Inspector General Police
in Mysore

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1378 No 73

From

To The Inspector General of Police

Dated Bangalore 13 March

Despatched

Received

Enclosures No. —

General No. 10915

No. 1663

Your letter No 1700/205 of 28 February 1878, recommending the sanction, the retention of the Force of 1 Staff officer and 25 Peons for a further period of 2 months to assist the Regular Police in Sandur in the campaign, and the extra duties incident to the Fair.

Observe that as it is not happening in what duty the Police are now employed in the Sandur Dist; & in which the Relief Bunds have been all closed except that at Bagur, and in tendency the people to wander about ~~here to~~ here, it is understood cease. The Cap Comm Sandur has recommended the retention of the extra Police

No 10916
Dt 1971
Copy to H. A. Gen-C

~~Convey sanction to the retention of the additional Force for 2 months, viz March and April 1878.~~

Approved
19/3

Secretary

M. 12/3/78

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From The Inspector General of Police

To

Secretary to Chief Commissioner, General Department.

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No 1-26 15

Dated 26

Despatched 27 } March 1878

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ENCLOSURES NO 1

General No. 1866 / No. 228 } 187 —7

Submits re-appropriation statement for Rs 24000 sanctioned for the extra-force in Chief Commrs Proceedings No. 5378/743 dated 27 August 1877.

Approved & Draft for Check. By order

Asst Secy

Secy

The Statement is correct. Check Fees are, & correct.

Mr Roy

Secy

Office of the Dy Inspr General of Police 26th March 1878

No. 1866 / 228

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From The Inspector General of Police

To, The Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore

Sir,

With reference to Chief Commissioner's order No. 3378/743 dated 27th August 1877. I have the honor to forward a re-appropriation Statement for Rs. 2400 sanctioned for 6 months, to meet the cost of additional Police Force entertained.

2. I beg to state for the information of the Chief Commissioner, that the expenditure incurred by the Deputy Commissioners up to December 1877. for this purpose is about Rs. 9400/

3. The Detailed Statement will be forwarded in due course. –

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant

W Mansfield

Inspector General of Police

Application to the Chief Commissioner of Mysore for re-appropriation of Budget Grant.

From																To,
Budget head	Provision			Amount placed at the disposal of D.C. Cons			Balance retained by this office			Amount Spent			Balance in hand			
Construction of Tanuahs	20,000	"	"	8000	"	"	12000	"	"	8000	"	"	12000	"	"	To meet the Cost of Additional Police
Equipment & Clothing	25000	"	"	"	"	"	25000	"	"	~~20000~~ 6662	" 11	" 11	~~5000~~ 18337	" 4	" 1	Force entertained amounting to
Hospital Charges (Fever & Cholera medicines)	1000	"	"	"	"	"	1000	"	"	~~400~~ 247	" 6	" 5	~~600~~ 752	" 9	" 7	Rupees 24000, Vide Secretary's
Secret Service	3800	"	"	2000	"	"	1800	"	"	~~2000~~ 452	" 11	"	~~1800~~ 9347	" 5	"	letter No. 5378/743 dated 27th August 1877
Savings from 8 Districts from the Executive Force for 2 months April & May 77-78													~~8300~~ 5585	" -	" -	
										Total Rs.			~~24700~~ 40022	" 2	" 8	

Bangalore
26th March 78

C. A. Hoff

W. Lancelot
Inspector General of Police.